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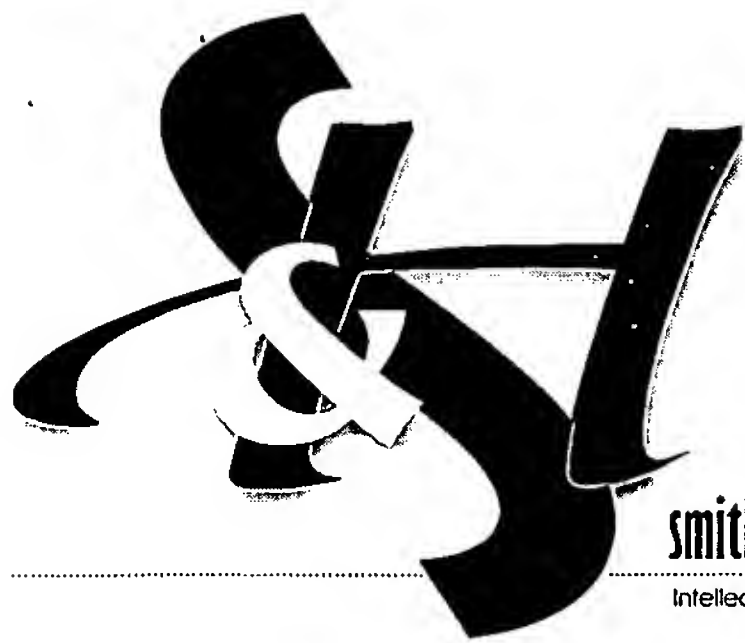
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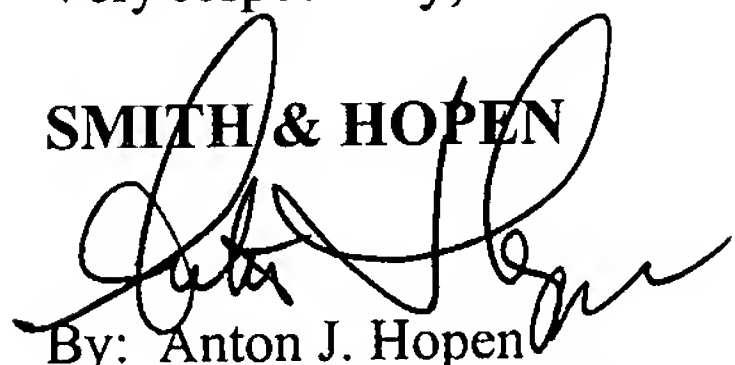
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1. Notice Regarding Benefit/Priority Claim(s) – (2 pages);
2. Supplemental Application Data Sheet – (3 pages);
3. A full replacement copy of the original Application Data Sheet showing deletions using strikethroughs (3 pages);
4. Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (2 pages);
5. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (5 pages);
6. Check No. 3054 for \$65.00, payable to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents; and
7. Self-addressed and postage pre-paid post card to serve as a receipt for items 1-6.

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I hereby claim the benefit, under Title 35, United States Code, § 120, of any United States application(s) or PCT international application(s) designating the United States of America that is/are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in that/those prior application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information

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**35 USC § 119 PRIORITY CLAIM, IF ANY,
FOR ABOVE LISTED U.S./PCT APPLICATIONS**

ABOVE APPLICATION NO.	DETAILS OF FOREIGN APPLICATION FROM WHICH PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 USC § 119		
	Country and Application No.	Date of filing (day, month, year)	Date of issue (day, month, year)
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